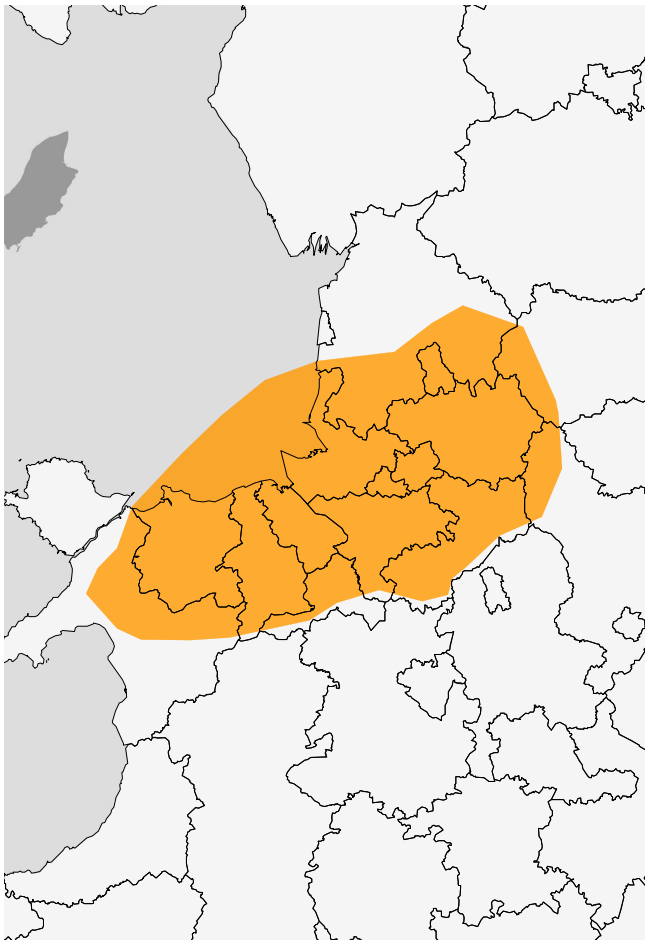
Amber warning
Rain

Between
12:00 Wed 22 May 2024 and
12:00 Thu 23 May 2024



Rain will become heavy and persistent later Wednesday and Thursday with flooding and disruption likely.

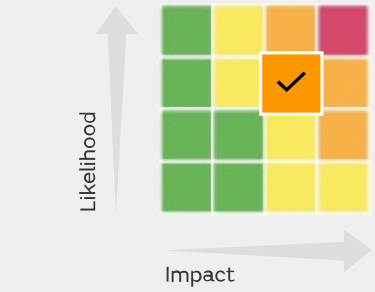
What to expect

- Delays and some cancellations to train and bus services are likely
- Fast flowing or deep floodwater is likely, causing danger to life
- Spray and flooding probably leading to difficult driving conditions and some road closures
- A good chance some communities will be cut off by flooded roads
- Power cuts and loss of other services to some homes and businesses likely

Further details

Rain becoming heavy and persistent during Wednesday afternoon before easing during Thursday morning. The heaviest rain is expected over north facing hills and where strong winds will enhance rainfall accumulations. Many places within the warning area will see 30-40mm of rain, with high ground of northwest England seeing 70-90 mm. While mountains of north Wales may see 100-150mm or more.

What should I do?



Medium likelihood of medium impacts

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Further Details (continued)

Keep yourself and others safe; prepare to avoid travelling by road during potentially dangerous road conditions. If you must travel, ensure you watch for possible danger and drive cautiously.

It is not safe to drive, walk or swim through floodwater, avoid it where possible and if you are affected by fast flowing or deep-water call 999, and wait for help.

Stay up to date with the weather forecast for your area and follow advice from emergency services and local authorities

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All regions & authorities affected

East Midlands

Derbyshire

North West England

Blackburn with Darwen Cheshire East Cheshire West and Chester Greater Manchester Halton Lancashire Merseyside Warrington

Wales

Conwy Denbighshire Flintshire Gwynedd Wrexham

Yorkshire & Humber

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